

REMARKS

Claim 1 has been amended to call not just for accessing, but for actually reading out the data. The cited reference to Kawasaki never says what happens. The Board speculated, without any support whatsoever, that because Kawasaki is a parallel structure, that he could read out the same material at the same time. But Kawasaki never says anything of the sort. And, more pertinent, Kawasaki shows no provision to read out the same material at the same time.

The only figures that are not prior art in Kawasaki are Figure 7, which shows the cache memory 1. The ports A and B are input ports. The first line on the right is, clearly, the same address input and the second line on the right of the cache memory 1 is a same way hit. No provision for reading out data is anywhere depicted. Figure 8 does not even show the cache memory. Figure 9 shows less inputs and outputs than Figure 7, but does not show anything but inputs. Figure 10 corresponds to Figure 8. Figure 11, similarly, shows no outputs. Thus, nothing in the cited reference shows how anything is read out. This is completely consistent with the Applicant's position in the prior case that all the reference does is detect accessing the same location. Even if this can be interpreted as simultaneous read accesses, it is not simultaneous reading and there is no teaching of two separate buses.

Therefore, reconsideration is requested in view of the claim amendments.

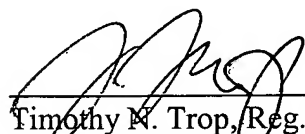
It is noted that on May 13, 2008, a paper was issued indicating that the application was abandoned. This was clearly entered in error. There is a two month period to seek reconsideration. Therefore, the application could not have been held abandoned until after June 28, 2008, which is after the date of this request for continuing application.

If the indication of abandonment is to be maintained, it is requested that the Applicant be notified so that an appropriate petition can be filed. It is noted that the Examiner was called on May 16, 2008 requesting a response and no answer was ever received.

Particularly, it is noted that the time period for seeking court review was not expired, as erroneously concluded in the Notice of Abandonment.

Respectfully submitted,

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